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LETTER DATED 29 DECEMBER 1994 FROM THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE OF THE ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF IRAN TO THE UNITED NATIONS ADDRESSED TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

Upon instructions from my Government, I have the honour to bring to your attention the following instances of violations by Iraq of the terms of the cease-fire between the two countries.

1. On 25 September 1994, at 0830 hours, 12 Iraqi forces were observed moving from around the geographic coordinates of NC 640-232 on the map of Kani-Sheikh in no man's land, south of border pillar 39/1 towards the geographic coordinates of 681-241 on the map of Kani-Sheikh in no man's land, south of border pillar 39/1. Ten of the Iraqi forces left the area for the former location after 20 minutes and two others remained in the area.

2. On 29 September 1994, at 1920 hours, 10 illuminating bullets were fired into the sky at height 175, following which several explosions were heard. The Iranian guards at the Bayat-Yek sentry post also heard shooting from the Iraqi tents set up at the geographic coordinates of QA 060-900 on the map of Meimeh and observed a number of illuminating bullets in the sky.

3. On 29 September 1994, a number of Iraqi forces, in groups of two or three persons, were observed patrolling near the geographic coordinates of TP 230-720 on the map of Khorramshahr in no man's land.

4. On 29 September 1994 40 Iraqi boats with a total of 88 personnel were observed patrolling Arvand Rud.

5. On 1 October 1994, at 1130 hours, two Iraqi loaders were observed conducting engineering activities at the geographic coordinates of PB 340-450 on tne map of Kouh Tunnel, west of border pillar 26/4 and east of border pillar 26/5 in no man's land.

6. On 1 October 1994, at 1910 hours, two Iraqi forces were observed deploying a Dushka machine-gun in the Iraqi Mohammad-Ghassem sentry post at the geographic coordinates of PB 055-680 on the map of Mehran in no man's land.

7. On 1 October 1994, 41 Iraqi motorboats with a total of 108 personnel were observed patrolling Arvand Rud.

8. On 2 October 1994, at 0630 hours, Iraqi forces fired several illuminating bullets around the geographic coordinates of QA 540-430 on the map north of Hour-al-Hoveizeh, west of border pillar 29/1.

9. On 2 October 1994, at 1815 hours, Iraqi forces deployed an automatic machine-gun at the geographic coordinates of NC 586-386 on the map of Sumar in no man's land, south of border pillar 40/5, and fired several bullets into the air.

10. On 2 October 1994, 34 Iraqi motorboats with a total of 82 personnel were observed patrolling Arvand Rud.

11. On 3 October 1994, at 0800 hours, an Iraqi bulldozer and a grader were in operation around the geographic coordinates of PB 990-660 on the map of Mehran.

12. On 3 October 1994, at 1330 hours, an Iraqi vehicle carrying about 25 personnel was observed trafficking at the geographic coordinates of NC 576-384 on the map of Sumar.

13. On 3 October 1994, 105 Iraqi motorboats and 4 vessels with a total of 179 personnel were observed patrolling Arvand Rud.

14. On 6 October 1994, eight Iraqi tanks were observed travelling around the geographic coordinates QA 480-490 on the map of Yebis, west of border pillar 21/22.

15. On 6 October 1994, between 1856 and 1940 hours, Iraqi forces fired 50 illuminating bullets around the geographic coordinates of QA 250-820 on the map of Nahr-Anbar, near border pillar 22/31.

16. On 6 October 1994, 39 Iraqi motorboats with a total of 95 personnel were observed patrolling Arvand Rud.

17. On 7 October 1994, 41 Iraqi motorboats with a total of 120 personnel were observed patrolling Arvand Rud.

18. On 11 October 1994, at 2320 hours, Iraqi forces, stationed around the geographic coordinates of NC 510-458 on the map of Sumar fired three illuminating bullets at intervals of 20 minutes in the direction of the geographic coordinates of NC 562-438 on the map of Sumar, east of border pillar 44/1. The bullets illuminated the Islamic Republic of Iran's Ghaleh-Jough border post.

19. On 12 October 1994, between 1100 and 1730 hours, three Iraqi loaders were observed conducting engineering activities at the geographic coordinates of QA 060-930 on the map of Meimeh river in no man's land, south of border pillar 23.

20. On 12 October 1994, at 0800 hours, about 20 Iraqi forces were observed moving from the geographic coordinates of NC 682-241 on the map of Kani-Sheikh south of border pillar 39/1 in no man's land, towards Iraqi's Lajmeh sentry post at the geographic coordinates of NC 641-241 on the map of Kani-Sheikh.

21. On 13 October 1994, at 1150 hours, eight Iraqi soldiers were observed digging a canal near the geographic coordinates of NC 682-241 on the map of Kani-Sheikh in no man's land, south of border pillar 39/1.

22. On 13 October 1994, 66 Iraqi motorboats with a total of 117 personnel were observed patrolling Arvand Rud.

23. On 14 October 1994, Iraqi forces constructed an observation post near the geographic coordinates of TP 150-950 on the map of Nim-Istgah Navad in no man's land, north of border pillar 7/8 and south of border pillar 7/9.

24. On 14 October 1994, 34 Iraqi motorboats with a total of 81 personnel were observed patrolling Arvand Rud.

It would be highly appreciated if this letter was circulated as a document of the Security Council.

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